GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:592
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MISSING OF WATERMARK FROM STAMP PAPERS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a firm awarded to produce stamp paper has fled with Watermark from high Security Printing Press, Nasik;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has constituted a high level inquiry into this incident;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the steps taken or being taken by the Government to recover the Watermark from the said firm and total loss likely to be suffered by the Government due to this incident:

(f) whether any lapse has been noticed on the part of officials of the press or the security agencies in awarding the job to this firm; and

(g) if so, the action taken or likely to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI P.K.BANSAL)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) to (g) Does not arise.